

STATE OF CONNECTICUT – COUNTY OF TOLLAND INCORPORATED

TOWN OF ELLINGTON

Human Services Commission

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DEANNA WAMBOLT-GULICK

HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION Monday, January 9, 2017 Minutes of the Meeting

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by Sue Stack, Chairman at 6:05 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sue Stack, Richard Petrucci, Yale Cantor, Jaime Foster, Teresa Cavanagh, Deanna Wambolt-Gulick

OTHERS PRESENT: Joy Hollister, Director, Human Services; Tina Modzelewski, Administrative Secretary, Human Services

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A. November 14, 2016 Regular Meeting

MOVED (PETRUCCI), SECONDED (FOSTER), AND PASSED BY THOSE PRESENT TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 14, 2016 REGULAR MEETING. (ABSTAINED WAMBOLT-GULICK, CAVANAUGH)

NOTE: Correction made to November 14, 2016 minutes, should read approval of October 17, 2016 minutes.

Introductions were made to new commission member Deanna Wambolt-Gulick.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: The Holiday Program was successful. Human Services is continuing to take applications for energy assistance and handling requests for assistance with rent and utilities.

The Senior Center is in the process of transitioning to gas heat, this will save on utility costs. New programs are being offered at the Senior Center and the library is showcasing work by photographer Jane Kaplin that features photos of the Senior Center gardens.

Youth Services winter programs are underway. Rise Above is hosting another Gallery Night planned for February. Jaime Foster will be coaching "Girls on the Run" a national program being offered through Youth Services.

Anna Turner, elderly outreach social worker, is the contact person for anyone needing a well-being check during a major Town emergency. Needy residents should fill out the request form.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

ADJOURNMENT: MOVED (CANTOR), SECONDED (FOSTER) AND PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY ALL THOSE PRESENT TO ADJOURN AT 6:45 P.M.

Submitted by:		
•	Tina Modzelewski	